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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

10 KAREN BECK, as Personal  
11 Representative of the Estate  
12 of TAWNY JOHNSON, deceased;  
and KAREN BECK, as Guardian  
Ad Litem for S. J. and S. H.,  
minors;

No. C07-5136RJB

ORDER GRANTING STIPULATION  
FOR APPOINTMENT OF  
GUARDIAN AD LITEM  
(SPR 98.16W)

13 Plaintiffs,

14 vs.

15 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

16 Defendant.

17 THIS MATTER having come on regularly for hearing upon the  
18 petition of the parties for an order appointing David H.  
19 Neupert, attorney at law, of Port Angeles, Washington, as  
20 guardian ad litem of S. J., a minor, and the court having  
21 considered the petition and the records and files herein and  
22 having found that the court has jurisdiction over the said  
23 minor, and finding that David H. Neupert is a fit and proper  
24 person to act as the guardian ad litem of said minor with

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ORDER-1.

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1 authority to review and approve on behalf of said minor the  
2 settlement of the above cause of action as set forth in said  
3 petition, and the court being now fully advised in the  
4 premises, it is hereby

5 ORDERED that David H. Neupert, attorney at law, be and he  
6 is hereby appointed as guardian ad litem of the minor, S. J.,  
7 with authority to review and approve the settlement on behalf  
8 of the said minor in the above cause of action.

9 DONE IN OPEN COURT this 28th day of February, 2008.  
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13 Robert J Bryan  
14 United States District Judge

15 Presented by  
16 MESSINA BULZOMI CHRISTENSEN

17 By /s/ James W. McCormick  
18 JAMES W. McCORMICK 32898  
Attorneys for Petitioner

19 By /s/ Thomas M. Woods (Telephonic Approval)  
20 THOMAS M. WOODS 32898  
21 Attorney for Defendant

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ORDER-2.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Vickie Lo Franco, certify that on this day I caused to be served by ABC Legal Messenger copies of the document to which this certificate is attached on counsel of record as follows:

Thomas M. Woods, Esq.  
U.S. Attorney's Office  
700 Stewart St Ste 5220  
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I declare under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

/s/

VICKIE LO FRANCO  
Legal Assistant

Dated: 2/28/08  
at Tacoma, Washington

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